

## MILES CAN DEFY HIS PERSECUTORS

### GENERAL OF THE ARMY IS FAR FROM POPULAR.

Jealousy of West Point Graduates One of the Causes—His Arrogance a Bar to Good Feeling—Will Doubtless Remain Until Age Causes His Retirement.

Washington, Jan. 5.—[Special]—It is very evident that Gen. Miles is not to be permitted to float through life "on flowery beds of ease," but will be compelled to fight hard to maintain the rank he has attained. Two reasons are given for the unpopularity of the commanding general of the army among his associates: the fact that he is exceedingly arrogant and overbearing in his manner, and that he is not a graduate of the military academy at West Point.

General Miles was a volunteer officer during the war of the rebellion. His only knowledge of military affairs had been gained while waiting on customers in a dry goods store. But he was a brave man, and by his brilliant achievements in the army of the east during the war, soon attained to a major general's office. At the close of the war he remained in the army, and in the natural order of things became the senior major general and the commander of the army. His advancement has been exceedingly distasteful to the West Point officers, who imagine no one is qualified to command unless he has like them passed through a regular course at the national military academy. No one questions General Miles' ability, nor do they underestimate his services during the rebellion and the subsequent Indian wars. Yet it galls them to have "a civilian" placed over them. They would therefore hail with satisfaction anything that would tend to humiliate him.

Gen. Miles in addition is exceedingly arrogant, and has won the enmity of a large number of people both in and out of the army. He treats his subordinates with scant courtesy on all occasions, and seems to seek for opportunities to humiliate them. He has ambition to shine as a social lion, and is very fond of display. His uniforms are faultless, and he has a new one for almost every occasion. His pompous manners have disgusted many sensible people, and he is very frequently spoken of contemptuously as a top, a fashion plate, a prig and other unpleasant things.

It is not likely, however, that Gen. Miles' enemies will be able to prevail against him. He is securely entrenched in his official positions from which he cannot be removed except by court martial, and the general has taken good care that he has been guilty of nothing that would render him subject to court martial. He can therefore afford to snap his fingers at his enemies.

He is yet a young man, and cannot be retired under the law, except for physical disability, for many years to come. As he is robust in physique it is not likely that he will seek retirement on that ground. The regular army officers have about reached the conclusion to make the best of the situation and submit to Gen. Miles and his caprices with the best grace possible. He is not likely to go out of his way to gratify them for he owes them no good will.

## THE GUN WAS WRECKED

### New Gatling Rifle Burst While Being Tested at the Proving Grounds.

New York, Jan. 5.—[Special]—Gatling's experimental cast steel eight-inch rifle, for the construction of which congress appropriated \$40,000, burst at Sandy Hook proving ground yesterday. Nobody was hurt, but the gun was a complete wreck.

### Foster's Condition Serious.

Washington, Jan. 5.—The illness from which ex-Secretary of State John W. Foster is suffering has taken a turn for the worse, and it is feared that pneumonia has developed. Tuesday night the patient was restless and Wednesday he had a severe coughing spell, which considerably weakened him.

### No Conflict at Hilo.

Manila, Jan. 5.—All is quiet here. The American troops which arrived at Hilo have not landed. They are awaiting instructions.

A native government is firmly established there.

Merchants here all desire that America shall plant a firm government in the islands.

### Serious Illness of Don Carlos.

Moscow, Jan. 5.—Don Jaime, eldest son of the Bourbon pretender to the Spanish throne, who had a commission in a Russian hussar regiment, has received from Venice a telegram that his father, Don Carlos, is suffering from a severe attack of bronchitis and that his condition is considered dangerous.

### Senator Hale Renominated.

Augusta, Me., Jan. 5.—Eugene Hale was renominated for United States senator by the republican joint legislative caucus by acclamation, without a dissenting voice.

### TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Broom Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c. The genuine has L. B. T. on each tablet.

## CONDITION LITTLE IMPROVED

Mrs. James Sutherland Is Still in a Dangerous State.

The condition of Mrs. James Sutherland, who was so terribly scalded on Tuesday evening, was but little improved today, and it will be at least twenty-four hours before the attending physicians are able to predict the outcome. Her suffering is intense, and although she has rallied from the shock she has shown but little signs of improvement. Two-thirds of her body is scalded.

## VICTORY PERCHES ON DAVIS' STANDARD

### MINNESOTA SENATOR GETS A UNANIMOUS RENOMINATION

It Marks the Closing Stages of the Social War With the Merriams—The Senator and His Wife Have Been More Than a Match For the Ex-Governor and His Spouse.

Washington, Jan. 5.—[Special]—Senator Cushman K. Davis, of Minnesota, has been receiving congratulations today upon his renomination for reelection to the senate, which was unanimously made by the republican caucus at St. Paul. The senator did not feel compelled to go to the northwest to "fix his fences." He had business here which he considered more important—looking after the treaty of peace with Spain.

The renomination of Mr. Davis probably marks the close of the social warfare that has for so long existed between his family and that of the Merriams, of St. Paul. For years the latter have kept Mrs. Davis out of St. Paul society, and she in return has kept the ex-governor out of the president's cabinet and his wife out of the official society of the capital. It is whispered here that they have kissed and made up, and will hereafter be social allies in order that the political purposes of the heads of the two households may be furthered.

There is not likely to be any cabinet changes in the near future which will enable Gov. Merriam to step into the president's official family circle, but there will doubtless be a diplomatic vacancy ere long that he may desire to fill. The honors of the conflict thus far are all with Senator Davis and his beautiful and diplomatic wife, and they will be careful that they maintain the advantage they have gained. The controversy was not of their seeking, but was forced upon them. That they have met it bravely and have conquered all freely acknowledge.

## THEY DEFY THE COURT

### Standard Oil Company's Attorneys Say They Will Not Produce the Books.

Columbus, O., Jan. 5.—[Special]—The Standard Oil attorneys this morning bluntly defied the supreme court. They informed the court they would not comply with the judicial order to produce the commercial books of the company.

### Sender Pays the Stamp Tax.

San Francisco, Jan. 5.—United States Circuit Judge Morrow has decided that the stamp tax on telegraph messages must be paid by the sender and not by the company. The decision was rendered in the case of J. Waldere Kirk against the Western Union Telegraph company. Kirk, who is known as "king of the duds," tendered a message to a telegraph company, but declined to pay for the stamp required by the war-revenue law.

### May Guard Pans All Winter.

Pana, Ill., Jan. 5.—Lieut. Col. Frank P. Wells, in command of Companies C of Springfield, H of Decatur and K of Delavan, Fifth infantry, doing riot duty here, received notice from Col. J. S. Culver this morning that Company C would be sent home this week and another company sent here to relieve it. Col. Wells believes the soldiers will remain here all winter unless there is a settlement of the strike.

### Sixteen-to-One League.

Denver, Jan. 5.—Preliminary steps have been taken in this city for the organization of the United States Sixteen-to-One Money League. The object of the organization is to assist in the organization of political parties on the basis of bimetalism. It is expected the league will take a prominent part in politics.

### Cushman K. Davis Is Named.

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 5.—The republican members of the legislature, 138 in number, met in caucus at the state capital Wednesday, and after several laudatory speeches for his work on the peace commission unanimously renominated Cushman K. Davis for United States senator.

### McConnell's Sentence Commuted.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 5.—Gov. Tanner has commuted the sentence of Edward O. McConnell, who was convicted of embezzlement in the criminal court of Cook county last month and sentenced to the penitentiary for an indeterminate term, to six months' imprisonment in the Cook county jail.

## WISCONSIN WILL ROW TWO RACES

### UNIVERSITY BOAT CLUB HAS TWO MATCHES ON HAND.

Will Contest With the Delawares of Chicago and the Duluth Club—The Coming Season Promises to Be a Brisk One On the Waters Of Mendota.

Madison, Wis., Jan. 5.—A triangular race between the University of Wisconsin eight and the crews of the Delaware Boat club, Chicago, and of the Duluth Boat club has been arranged for June 3. The race will take place at Madison on Mendota Lake.

The Chicago crew is an old time rival of the varsity and many exciting contests have occurred between them in the past. Little is known of the Duluth club. This will be the first important race rowed in Madison for several years and interest in it is keen. It is, of course, too early to make any predictions as to the outcome, although it can be said that the varsity is confident of winning, as all of last year's crew with one exception are back. The last race with the Delaware Boat club was won by the varsity in 1895.

No definite decision has yet been reached in regard to the coach, but it is expected that one will be agreed upon the first of next week. Now that it has been decided not to make any change in the stroke or rigging it is found almost impossible to procure a man capable of instructing the crew in the yarra-yarra style of rowing. The plan of establishing a system of graduate coaching has fallen through, as none of the old oarsmen are fully acquainted with the stroke used, as a considerable change was made in it last year.

It is almost certain, however, that Captain McConville will resign his seat in the crew and take complete charge of the coaching. He has been on the crew for three years and is most conversant with the methods employed by Coach O'Dea.

## SUSTAINS THE UNIONS

### Secretary Gage Threatens to Resign Unless Their Demands Are Complied With.

Washington, Jan. 5.—[Special]—Secretary Gage threatens to resign in case the Director of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing Johnson's resignation is accepted. The Federation of Labor demanded Johnson's removal because he antagonized union labor.

## FORECAST OF WEATHER

Chicago, Jan. 5.—[Special]—Forecast for Wisconsin: Cloudy tonight; rain or snow. Friday warmer.

## TO INSTALL CAMP OFFICERS

### Wives of the Members Participate in the Festivities.

All members of Rock River Encampment No. 3, Independent Order Odd Fellows, and their wives are requested to be present at the regular meeting on Friday evening, Jan. 6th, to attend the installation of officers. Following the installation there will be a banquet and other festivities.

C. W. SCHWARTZ, C. P. Demands a New Policy.

Berlin, Jan. 5.—The Kreuz Zeitung, in an article understood to be inspired by the German foreign office, says: "Europe is on the threshold of a new era. The old policy must be abandoned in favor of the Weltpolitik. No nation pretending to be a great power can hope to maintain its position with land forces alone. The sudden and startling appearance of the United States in the political arena demands that Germany should make fresh exertions. Weakness now would be a political crime."

### Look for a Miner's Strike.

Cleveland, O., Jan. 5.—The coal operators here believe there will be another strike of the miners in the spring as a result of the failure of the operators and miners to agree at their coming meeting in Pittsburgh. The shippers here are getting ready for the strike. Coal in large quantities is being stored in lake vessels in the harbor. It is estimated that 60,000 tons at least have been put away already, and more is coming every day.

### No Deaths for Eight Days.

Washington, Jan. 5.—For the eighth consecutive day Gen. Henry at San Juan reported by cable to the war department today that there were no deaths among the American troops garrisoning Porto Rico. This is a most remarkable showing, indicating that the camps there are now healthier than any city in the world.

### Depew Will Be Nominated.

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 5.—The republican senators and assemblymen will hold a joint caucus a week from tonight for the purpose of nominating a candidate for United States senator, to succeed Murphy, whose term will expire March 4. The republican members do not speak of any candidate except Chauncey M. Depew.

## CONTROL OVER THE PHILIPPINES

### PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE TO THE INHABITANTS ISSUED.

Purpose of the United States in Assuming Jurisdiction is Explained—All Persons Will Be Protected in Their Lives and Property—Resistance Will Be Punished.

Washington, Jan. 5.—[Special]—President McKinley's proclamation to the Philippines was made public today. It begins with a statement that Dewey's victory and the surrender of Manila practically completed the conquest of the Philippines; and when the peace treaty was signed the United States jurisdiction immediately extended all over the Archipelago. The military commanders were ordered to notify the inhabitants of the islands that the authority of the United States was to be exerted for the security of persons, property and people of the islands; that the Americans came not as invaders but as friends. All persons who co-operate with the United States government will be rewarded with protection. All others will be dealt with firmly, but without severity as far as possible. The United States military authority must remain supreme. All ports and places in the islands will be opened to the commerce of all nations. The balance of the communication is devoted to the mode of tax collection.

### GUNBOATS IN PHILIPPINES

#### They Have Been Placed Where They Will Do the Most Good.

Washington, Jan. 5.—[Special]—Admiral Dewey cabled the navy department this morning that the gunboats Petrol and Concord had been sent to Iloilo. Both will be of great service to the Americans in case of trouble. Officials regard the situation at Iloilo as extremely critical, and await the outcome with intense interest.

### PLOT AGAINST AMERICANS

#### Aguinaldo at the Bottom of a Conspiracy in the Philippines.

Washington, Jan. 5.—[Special]—The existence of a plot to resist American authority, in which Aguinaldo is the moving spirit, was made known in the dispatches from Gen. Otis, who expresses confidence in his ability to cope with the Philippines, should a conflict occur.

### THE PEACE TREATY.

#### Vote on Its Ratification Is Expected About February 1.

Washington, Jan. 5.—[Special]—The peace treaty will be reported back to the senate next Wednesday. It will not be amended in the slightest. Friends of the treaty say now that they have sixty-one votes. A final vote is expected February 1.

### SURE TO NAME CHOATE.

#### It Is Announced That He Will Be Ambassador to Great Britain.

Washington, Jan. 5.—The announcement is made on the highest authority that Hon. Joseph H. Choate of New York would be nominated ambassador to Great Britain.



HON. JOSEPH H. CHOATE.

to Great Britain. The nomination will not be sent to the senate for a few days, but those near the president say this delay does not indicate any possibility of a change in his plans.

### Wisconsin Senatorial Fight.

Madison, Wis., Jan. 5.—None of the senatorial candidates is expected to return to Madison before the end of the week, but all have managers and active workers, who will make their headquarters here from now on. The Babcock forces are confident that their candidate now leads, and they are estimating among themselves the following vote: Babcock, 39; Quarles, 33; Stephenson, 14; Webb, 9; Cook, 9; Baensch, 2; doubtful, 6. As it will require fifty-seven votes in joint caucus for a choice, none of them has nearly enough to win.

### Accuses Him of Maine Wreck.

Havana, Jan. 5.—Ricardo Arana y Hernandez, editor of El Reconcentrado, has issued his third attack upon his old enemy, Zacarias Bresnes, whom, with three others, he accuses of blowing up the United States battleship Maine. Bresnes, who is a lawyer and politician, sailed for Spain about two weeks ago. The installments of the story thus far have been devoted to the alleged felonies and treacheries of Bresnes. The editor tells his readers to be patient, as in due time they will get the facts regarding the Maine explosion.

## STATE OFFICIALS WERE HERE

### This Morning They Visited State School For the Blind.

Senator Baxter, of Grant county, Representative Cashen, of Stevens Point, and Representative Wheeler, of this city, accompanied by Judge Lyon and E. R. Petherick, members of the state board of control, visited the State School for the Blind this morning for the purpose of making an inspection as prescribed by the law. From this city they left for Delavan on the noon train, where they will visit the State School for the Deaf and Dumb.

## PINGREE PUTS THE CASE STRONGLY

### HIS ANNUAL MESSAGE A PHILIPIC AGAINST TRUSTS.

He Wants Them Driven From the Continent—Fears a Sectional War As a Result of Their Operations—Charges the President With Working in Their Interests.

Detroit, Jan. 5.—[Special]—The annual message of Governor Pingree was delivered at the opening of the legislature this afternoon. It contains a tremendous philippic against trusts; advocates an income tax; wants Europe driven from the American continent;



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sneers at the administration for not putting the trusts out of business; shows there is a division of the country, the west against the east; and predicts the danger of civil war; declares that the heads of the most notorious trusts are McKinley's intimate friends; and intimates that the administration looks upon the American people as having no rights except to lay down their lives for the conquest of foreign countries.

### Predicted Austria's Decline.

Berlin, Jan. 5.—Much comment has been excited here by the publication in Das Neue Jahrhundert of Cologne of alleged conversations between the late Prince Bismarck and his intimate friend and confidante, Herr Lothar Bucher. In one of these, which fairly teems with piquant Bismarckian expressions, Bismarck deals with the condition of Austria and the probable fate of the Austrian empire. He expressed the opinion that Austria had ceased to be a great power and that her days were numbered, though it was unlikely that he would live to see the collapse. Still, he said, it might come sooner than people anticipated.

### Spain Denies Accusation.

Madrid, Jan. 5.—The statement that the Spaniards evacuated Hilo in order to render the situation difficult for the Americans is positively denied. The government, immediately after the treaty had been signed, ordered the Philippines evacuated as quickly as possible, in order to avoid further bloodshed and to conform to the expressed wish of the Americans, who were very exacting, especially in the case of Cuba.

### The Invention of the Telescope.

One day, nearly 300 years ago, a poor optician was working in his shop in the town of Middleburgh, in the Netherlands, his children helping him or amusing themselves with the tools and objects lying about, when suddenly his little girl exclaimed—"Oh, papa, see how near the steeple comes!" Anxious to learn the cause of the child's amazement he turned towards her, and saw that she was looking through two lenses—one held close to her eye, the other at arm's length—and, calling her to his side, he noticed that the eye-lens was plano-concave, while the other was plano-convex. Taking the two glasses, he repeated his daughter's experiment, and soon discovered that she had chanced to hold the lenses at the proper focus, thus producing the wonderful effect that he had observed. His quick wit saw in this a wonderful discovery, and he at once set about making use of his new knowledge of lenses. Ere long he had fashioned a tube of pasteboard, in which he set the glasses at their proper focus, and so the telescope was invented.

### A Goodly Estate.

New York, Jan. 5.—[Special]—The late Calvin S. Brice's estate, it is said, amounts to seven million dollars.

### Dingley Is Better.

Washington, Jan. 5.—[Special]—Mr. Dingley passed a good night. A change for the better is noted.

## WILL SOON COME TO SHOW OF STRENGTH

### CAUCUS OF THE LEGISLATURE TO BE HELD NEXT WEEK.

Rival Candidates For Senator Are Then Expected to Come to the Front With Their Full Forces—Babcock's Lieutenants Are Working Hard.

The Madison correspondent of the Chicago-Times Herald, under date of Wednesday last, says: Congressman Babcock was the only senatorial candidate in town today and no representatives of the others were here. G. P. Stickney, of Milwaukee, who has been guarding Mr. Quarles' interests here, having gone home for the day. At the Babcock headquarters most of his lieutenants were on duty, but few members elect of the legislature came to town, and a number of those who were here before went to Milwaukee for the day.

The question of the date on which the senatorial caucus will be held is beginning to be discussed. The general drift of opinion is that it will be held some time toward the close of next week. The legislature will meet Wednesday and the republican house and senate caucuses will probably be held Tuesday night.

George H. Ray, of La Crosse, is the most promising candidate for speaker, and W. A. Nowell, of Milwaukee, for chief clerk of the assembly. In the senate Walter Houser, of Mondovi, will probably be elected chief clerk.

## A SANGUINARY BATTLE

### Great Mortality in the Recent Encounter With Dervishes in Egypt.

Cairo, Jan. 5.—[Special]—In the recent battle between the Anglo-Egyptian troops and the dervishes under Emir Fedi, five hundred dervishes were killed, and many taken prisoners. Emir escaped.

## GRIP AT WASHINGTON

### National Capital Is Devastated By the Disease These Days.

Washington, Jan. 5.—[Special]—The grip is still raging here. There were twenty deaths for the week ending yesterday.

### To Prevent Engines from "Boling."

To prevent the engines of a vessel from "boling" when the screw rises above the water, Sis. E. Putalo has invented an electrical regulator. The contrivance, according to Industries and Iron, consists of two vessels of mercury, connected fore and aft in the ship. The vessels are about half full at normal depth. When the ship pushes forward so as to raise the screw, the rods connected with the resistance are submerged one after another, so that an electro-magnet is brought into play, the whole resistance being short-circuited when the screw is quite out of the water. The electro-magnet operates a throttle valve in the main steam pipe, which is thrown open by another magnet. By this arrangement the steam is turned off and on. From experiments it has been shown that the mercury vessels need not be more than thirty-four inches apart on a ship 300 feet long.

### Age of Musical Celebrities.

A French writer notes that though a few great musicians have died young—to wit, Mozart, at thirty-five; Schubert, at thirty-one; Bellini, at thirty-three; Mendelssohn, at thirty-eight, and Weber when he was but forty—a large number have lived to be very old men. Those who died between sixty and seventy years of age include Bach, Von Bulow and Rubinstein. Living beyond seventy came Gluck, Gounod, Handel, Liszt, Meyerbeer, Rossini, Spontini and Wagner, while the great age of eighty-nine was attained by Auber, and others. Dying at more than eighty were Cherubini, Cramer, Lachner, Palestrina, Rameau, Schutz and Taubert. The average age of musical celebrities is about sixty-seven years.

### Coal Burned by Steamships.

The amount of coal consumed by a vessel during a voyage depends very largely upon the speed, for the consumption of coal increases almost in a geometrical ratio to the speed. There are many ships which burn from 100 to 300 tons of coal per day, the lowest consumption being when the vessel is going at a moderate rate. British men of war do not consume so much in proportion as swift passenger steamers which ply between Europe and America, for, unless in an emergency, they are not driven at the highest attainable speed. The ocean steamers often burn from 2,500 to 3,500 tons during a passage lasting six to seven days.

### The Way She Meant It.

She—Indeed, Mr. Jigsby, it seems to me you ought to take a nerve medicine of some sort. He—Oh, I guess my nerve is strong enough. She—Undoubtedly, but don't they sometimes give people something to kill nerve?



## CITY CHARTERS SHOULD BE UNIFORM

MATTERS THAT WILL COME BEFORE MUNICIPAL LEAGUE.

**Power of Cities to Contract Debts Should Be Restricted—Some of the Propositions Contained in the Model Charter—Reports on Finances Go to Secretary of State.**

The meeting of the League of Wisconsin Municipalities, which is now being held at Milwaukee, promises to result in enlarging the general knowledge of the powers and duties of municipal officers. Mayor Thoroughgood has gone to the Cream City, and will be in attendance and take part in the discussions. One of the most important propositions that will confront the conference for improved charter legislation, will be "the city's debt limit." The Model Charter, which was formulated at the meeting of the National Municipal league at its recent meeting held in Indianapolis, provides that certificates of indebtedness issued in anticipation of the collection of taxes, or bonds authorized to be issued by a two-thirds vote of the common council, the approval of the mayor and a majority vote of the people taken at the time city officers are elected, shall not be included in computing the debt limit. The reason of this provision in the Model Charter is that some months ago a citizen of New York donated to the city a magnificent library conditioned on the city buying a site, and building a suitable building for the library. It was found that the debt limit had been reached and the city was in danger of losing the magnificent gift. However, a large portion of the debt had been incurred in the purchase and improvement of dock property, which was a source of revenue, paying the interest on this investment and accumulating a sinking fund to take care of the debt.

Another provision among the many important and interesting ones contained in the Model Charter, requires every city in the state to make a financial report at least once a year to the secretary of state, which reports are to be printed as part of the public documents of the state. The secretary of the state is authorized to examine into the affairs of any city in the state, as the financial conditions and the resources of the city, and see that the law has been complied with. The reports so made are to be a public record, so that the citizens may draw the lines of comparison between the cost of administering the affairs of different cities. The proposed charter also provides that no franchise for the use of any street or other public property shall be for a longer period than twenty-one years.

## EPWORTH LEAGUE RALLY

Young People of the Methodist Churches Contemplate a Good Time

The young people of Court Street M. E. church and of the First M. E. church have been planning, through their committee, for some months back, a grand Epworth League rally, which will be held in the two churches. The following is the program of services:

Saturday at 2 p. m. in Court Street church sermon by Rev. Frank A. Pease, followed by consecration meeting.

Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock a platform meeting will be held in the First M. E. church. Short addresses will be made by George Hansen, of Milton; Chauncy Sandell, of Court Street church; and Miss Myrtle Paul, of the First M. E. church. This will be followed by a testimonial service. The Y. M. C. A. band will furnish music during the platform service. Sunday morning, from 9 to 10 o'clock, a ringing praise service will be led by W. J. Knights and J. H. Turnbull, and at 3 p. m. a glorious children's rally will be conducted by Miss Allie Miller. Both of these services will be in the First church.

At 6 p. m. there will be a union Epworth League meeting which will be led by Rev. Wm. F. Leek, of Clinton, the president of the Janesville district Epworth League. It is designed to make this meeting the most inspiring service of the series. This and the closing service of the whole rally at 7:30 p. m. will be held in Court street M. E. church. A word as to this closing service. There will be platform addresses by Rev. W. W. Woodside, Rev. W. P. Leek and Rev. W. A. Hall. Extra music will be rendered and a glorious good time may be expected. Let all Epworth Leaguers and young people

**Strong, steady nerves**  
Are needed for success  
Everywhere. Nerves  
Depend simply, solely,  
Upon the blood.  
**Pure, rich, nourishing**  
Blood feeds the nerves  
And makes them strong.  
'The great nerve tonic is  
Hood's Sarsaparilla,  
Because it makes  
The blood rich and  
Pure, giving it power  
To feed the nerves.  
Hood's Sarsaparilla  
Cures nervousness,  
Dyspepsia, rheumatism,  
Catarrh, scrofula,  
And all forms of

generally who can come in this very opening service on Saturday at 2:30 p. m. at Court Street M. E. church in the Sunday school room. The old as well as the young will be most welcome at the services of this rally.

## SUFFERS FROM QUEER MALADY

Peccant Ailment That Afflicts a Boy at Marinette.

Marinette, Wis., Jan. 5.—George Carson, aged 8 years, of this city, is seriously ill with a peculiar affliction which is puzzling the physicians of both Marinette and Menominee. He is swelled up twice his ordinary size and has not eaten anything since last Friday morning, six days ago. He is unable to retain anything on his stomach. It is an ailment that has bothered him since his birth and come back every few months. Recently he went for thirteen days without eating and then suddenly recovered his normal powers and seemed perfectly well. He is an unusually bright boy. A peculiar thing is that when well he is unable to swallow small pieces of food, he takes bites much larger than the ordinary man. Physicians here are endeavoring to have the parents consent to an operation to ascertain the cause of the derangement. How long his present enforced fast will last is problematical.

## A ROARING FARCE COMEDY

The Two Macks Will Entertain People With "Money to Burn"

"The Two Macks" in "Money to Burn" who are booked at the opera house this evening, come to us with a reputation as one of the big successes. This company consists of twenty-three artists and the Lyman Twin Brothers are featured among them. These two gentlemen are well known in most of the larger cities; they are styled the gentle but screamingly funny comedians; a title which they have justly earned. Besides a complete scenic production, the company carry their own band and orchestra, giving a swell parade at noon and a free concert in front of the theater each evening.

## JOSHUA CRALL IS INJURED

Thrown Violently From His Buggy Sustaining Painful Injuries

Joshua Crall, the well known East Milwaukee street liveryman, is nursing a badly bruised right shoulder and side, which promises to give him much trouble for some time to come.

While driving in the country and making a turn in the road the wheels of his buggy caught so that they suddenly lurched the vehicle over, throwing Mr. Crall violently to the ground.

Dr. James Gibson was called, and although no bones were broken his body on the right side from the shoulder to the hips was badly bruised.

## TREAT WELL KNOWN HERE

Has Been Appointed to High Military Position in Havana.

Captain Charles G. Treat, son of J. B. Treat, of Monroe, and a young man well known in Janesville, has been appointed assistant to Maj. Geo. Ludlow, governor general of the city of Havana, to enter upon his duties this week. Captain Treat is assistant adjutant general of the volunteers, and first lieutenant of the Fifth artillery. He was for some years aide to Gen. Howard, adjutant to the artillery battalion at Fort Riley, and latterly on mustering duty with Gen. Randolph.

## GEO. BLABON SENDS LETTER

Street Car Magnate Seems Pleased With Local Management

George W. Blabon, the main stockholder of the Janesville street car line, has broken the long silence and has written a letter here. Mr. Blabon says that of late he has been under the weather, which accounts for his not writing. He expressed himself well pleased with the way the local line is now being managed, and spoke in particular of the length of time that the line had been running this winter, and hoped that it would continue through the winter. That the line has been on a paying basis seemed to please him.

## HAVE A FIGHT ON HAND

Anti-Trust Ice Dealers Have Unexpected Opposition

Milwaukee, Wis., Jan. 5.—The new ice trust and the anti-trust companies are engaged in a bitter war at Milwaukee. The anti-trust people built a house that had a capacity of 1,000 cars of ice and prepared to fill it from Eagle lake and other bodies of water. They discovered today, however, that the trust companies in Chicago had secured quitclaim deeds from the original owners of all the lake and pond frontage, under a court decision. Thus the anti-trust concern finds itself out and injunction proceedings are likely to follow.

## THE BUSINESS DIRECTORY

Prices reduced on granite monuments Call and see work and get prices. F. A. Bennett, 15 North Franklin street.

For wagon repairing, carriage repair, horse shoeing and all kinds of first class work, call on Heller & Newton, Park street.

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## IS VERY HIGHLY PRAISED

The "Money to Burn" Company Receives Commendation at Dixon.

"Money to Burn" has been in Dixon, Ill., and the Daily Telegraph has this to say of it:

The Lyman twin brothers appeared at the opera house last night in the play, "Money to Burn," and gave one of the most delightful performances of the season. These two clever young men were seen here last season with the Holden Co., but are now starring in a musical comedy written especially for laughing purposes and one that affords a fine opportunity for the introduction of high class specialties. These brothers, Howard and Herbert, are very clever and excellent singers and kept the audience in a constant round of laughter. Their song and dance, the "Pos-ma-lah," was especially fine, and the costumes for this act were unique and beautiful.

The supporting company was most excellent, among women were the Corsetto sisters, Miss Josie playing the part of Bud, the tough girl. Her coon songs were never rendered in a more truly artistic manner, and as for dancing, well there has never been any better here on our stage, a number of new steps being introduced. Baker and Brummell, the musical artists, are musicians of ability, and gave popular selections on a number of different instruments. Maurio La Pell as Felix Bush, the German, and Eddie Delaney as Michael McIntyre, the Irish aristocrat, contributed their share to the success of the play.

## THEY INSTALL THEIR OFFICERS

Odd Fellows and Foresters Induct New Officers Into Position.

The following officers were installed at a regular meeting of Wisconsin Lodge No. 14, I. O. O. F. held last evening. The installation was under charge of Deputy Grand Master L. M. Nelson.

N. G.—Ben. Plowright.  
V. G.—Floyd Hurd.  
R. S.—A. M. Fisher.  
P. S.—W. H. Grove.  
Treasurer—J. F. Hutchinson.  
Warden—Charles E. Brown.  
Conductor—A. C. Pond.  
O. G.—Jerome Howland.  
I. G.—E. D. Mosley.  
R. S. N. G.—W. Z. McIntyre.  
L. S. N. G.—W. J. Winbigler.  
R. S. V. G.—W. S. Kerry.  
L. S. V. G.—E. C. Fisher.  
R. S. S.—A. M. Mead.  
L. S. S.—S. D. Mosley.  
Chaplain—W. G. Palmer.

At the close of the installation a banquet was served by the ladies of American Lodge No. 26, Daughters of Rebekah.

At a meeting of the Catholic Order Foresters, E. B. Correy, of Madison, D. H. C. R., installed the following officers:

Spiritual Director—Rev. William A. Goebel.  
P. C. R.—T. F. Abbott.  
C. R.—Simon J. Riester.  
V. C. R.—W. J. Nickel.  
R. S.—J. S. Doran.  
F. S.—F. G. Fulleman.  
Treas.—J. H. Burns.  
Trustee—P. E. Neuses.  
S. C.—A. Radtke.  
J. C.—E. Kuster.  
I. S.—J. Garry.  
O. S.—J. P. Koebler.

## SMALL BOYS ENJOY BANQUET

Delightful Affair at the Y. M. C. A. Yesterday Afternoon.

There was a merry time at the Y. M. C. A. building yesterday afternoon. Members of the Junior and Intermediate departments, after going through their gymnasium work were given a bounteous spread. In the front room on the second floor covers had been laid for fifty, and all enjoyed the repast as only such boys can.

Afterwards there were toasts which were responded to by Secretary J. C. Kline and Physical Director J. F. Rudolph.

Those who assisted in the serving of the repast were Mesdames C. L. Clark, S. B. Lewis, St. Kent, George Williams, William H. Rose, J. C. Kline and Messrs. H. E. Carey and B. F. Carey.

## TELEPHONE AT EVANSVILLE

Exchange Has Been Established Under Favorable Circumstances.

Evansville, Jan. 5.—The Evansville Telephone Exchange is one of the established institutions of the city. There are sixty subscribers at present, and the list will doubtless be doubled in the next six months. A company composed largely of the stockholders of the local institution will begin building a toll line from Evansville to Madison and Janesville in a few days.

## DALEY ACTS RATHER QUEERLY

Man Who Took Poison May Soon Be Examined By Doctors

James Daley, the young man who took rough on-rate on Tuesday, may soon be examined as to his sanity.

Relatives in the city today state that not long ago he tried to take his life by hanging himself, but that he was prevented by friends coming to the rescue. His friends fear that he is not in his right mind, and they want him examined.

How the Prevent Pneumonia.

You are perhaps aware that pneumonia always results from a cold or from an attack of la grippe. During the epidemic of la grippe a few years ago when so many cases resulted in pneumonia, it was observed that the attack was never followed by that disease when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy was used. It counteracts any tendency of a cold or la grippe to result in that dangerous disease. It is the best remedy in the world for bad colds or la grippe. Every bottle warranted. For sale by Peoples

## COUNCIL HOLDS A BRIEF SESSION

LITTLE BUSINESS OF IMPORTANCE TRANSACTED.

Raspberry Bushes Are Pronounced a Nuisance—Saloon License Transferred—Plans of the New Telephone Company—Repairs on Court Street Bridge.

At a special meeting of the common council held last evening all the Aldermen were present except Gilkey and Fifield.

The bond of Hamilton Richardson as superintendent of the Second ward of Janesville was submitted and approved. Henry Bull complained against H. Davenport occupying a part of Western avenue between Jackson and Franklin streets by setting out raspberry bushes in such part of said street, and petitioned the honorable body to cause such obstructions to be removed.

The matter was referred to the Aldermen of the Fourth ward, who asked for further time to examine.

The license committee will consider the application of J. F. Ennis to transfer his saloon license at 21 South Main street to Thomas F. Dermody. The bond of Mr. Dermody was approved.

The Rock County Telephone company presented a plan of their proposed system, showing approximately the extent and location of the pole line, aerial cables, which was referred to the highway committee, who subsequently reported favorably on the same, and they were approved.

A notice of the acceptance by the Rock County Telephone company of the franchise granted them by the council, was on motion of Ald. Burnham received and placed on file.

The appointment of Frederick Beneke as a police officer was confirmed.

An order was adopted directing the city engineer to place the pipe lines as extended on the city pipe line map, keeping the markings in harmony with the original lines.

Ald. Burnham, from the finance committee, reported that the bridge fund at \$500 was too small and that the repairs on Court street bridge had been much more than was expected. The men who did the work wanted their money. He introduced an order instructing the mayor to borrow \$1,000 and place it to the credit of the bridge fund.

## La Grippe Successfully Treated.

"I have just recovered from the second attack of la grippe this year," says Mr. Jas. A. Jones, publisher of the Leader, Moxia, Texas. "In the latter case I used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, and I think with considerable success, only being in bed a little over two days, against ten days by the former attack. The second attack I am satisfied would have been equally as bad as the first but for the use of this remedy as I had to go to bed in about six hours after being 'struck' with it, while in the first case I was able to attend to business about two days before getting down." For sale by Peoples' Drug Co., corner Main and Milwaukee streets.

Dear Madge: Meet me Monday at the dining rooms of Mrs. Clark Co. 151 153 Wabash avenue, Chicago. This is the most delightful place in all Chicago to eat and is in the very heart of the shopping district. Carrie.

Marine Corps to Be Reduced.  
Washington, Jan. 5.—All officers and men appointed in the marine corps during the war are to be mustered out of service by direction of Secretary Long, who sent instructions to Col. Heywood to begin the process at once.

## DON'T NEGLECT

A COMMON CASE OF PILES?

It May Lead to Serious Results.

When people generally understand that all such fatal diseases as fistula, ulcer of the rectum, fissure, etc., almost invariably begin in a simple case of piles, they will learn the wisdom of taking prompt treatment for the first appearance of trouble in this quarter. The Pyramid Pile Cure will certainly cure every form of piles, itching, bleeding, protruding or blind piles, and hundreds of lives have been saved by using this cheap but effective remedy right at the start, because at such a time a single package will effect a cure, while in the chronic, deep seated cases, several packages are sometimes necessary before a lasting cure is effected.

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Send for Free book on cause and cure of piles.

## Thursday, Jan. 5th.

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All of our lovely Silk Skirts at small figures. From \$1.00 to \$2.00 off from former prices you can buy Silk Petticoats. Also are showing handsome styles in fancy moireen skirts, metallic effects in splendid black sateen Skirts that will wash. Extra values in black Skirts of sateen, ribbon cloth, cotton moiree, &c., &c.

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## Winter Garments.

A topsy-turvy Cloak condition prevails after the holiday rush that requires a nifty bit of price surgery to relieve it. Prices, some of them, are in the middle or near it; in all the knife has been driven home and the cut shows plainly.

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## JUDGE SHERMAN PRESIDES.

Illinois Legislature Organized by  
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MEET AND AT ONCE ADJOURN.

All the Members Present at the Opening Session—Message of the Governor Read and Copies of It Ordered Printed.

Springfield, Ill., Jan. 5.—The Illinois legislature, republican in both branches, began its forty-first session today. Judge Sherman is in the chair of the house.

Secretary of State Rose called the house of representatives to order at 12 o'clock, and Chaplain D. G. Bradford



JUDGE SHERMAN.

offered prayer. The roll of members was then called, and a motion carried to appoint a committee of three to request Justice Phillips of the State supreme court to visit the hall and administer the oath of office to the 153 members. All were present—81 republicans, 71 democrats and one prohibitionist.

The house selected its temporary speaker, Representative W. I. Giffin of Lee. As a matter of form the democrats also went through the motions, their candidate for speaker being Representative John P. McGoorty of Chicago. Mr. Allen of Vermillion nominated Mr. Giffin, who was, of course, elected and took the gavel. The following committee on credentials was appointed: Hamilton, Stewart, Young, Carsten, O'Malley, Huff and Lee.

When the time came to select the permanent officers of the house Representative Trautman nominated Judge Sherman as the republican candidate for speaker, and D. E. Sullivan presented the name of Mr. McGoorty as the democratic nominee.

A roll call resulted in the election of Judge Sherman and the following republican slate: Doorkeeper, Thomas I. Spellman of Cook; clerk, John Reeve of Macon; postmistress, Mrs. Millie Jackson of Salem; assistant doorkeepers, G. S. Coughlin of St. Clair, Edward Craig of Albion and Thomas H. Thompson of Kankakee; assistant clerks, B. H. McCann of Bloomington, George K. Adams of Lake and Charles P. Cooper of Waukegan; engrossing clerk, Thomas Williamson of Mount Olive; assistant engrossing clerks, M. W. Porter of Mercer and B. M. Davidson of Clark.

As soon as the permanent organization was effected a committee of five escorted Speaker Sherman to the chair. In taking the gavel he made a short address, outlining his policy for the session.

Clerk Reeve then called the roll, and a committee was named to wait on Gov. Tanner and notify him that the house was in session and ready to receive any communication he may desire to transmit. It was late in the afternoon when the message was received, and without waiting to discuss the document the house ordered 5,000 copies of it printed and then adjourned.

Gov. Tanner's message was a document of about 13,000 words, and reviewed the history of the two years of his administration. The governor finds good reason for congratulation in the marvelous commercial prosperity of the state and nation, and for the victorious conclusion of the war with Spain. He defended the course he pursued during the coal miners' strike at Virden, and suggested amendments in the arbitration law that will enable the arbitration board to enforce its decrees. He approved the Allen bill as a step in the right direction, and argued that the street railways of the state should be placed under the control of the railroad and warehouse commission, which should be empowered to fix the rates of fare and adjust all questions arising between the railways and the public. The proposition broached that the municipality should run the street-railway lines he referred to as "latent socialism." He is opposed to the diversion of any part of the revenues of the street railways, but thinks any payment by the roads to the public should be made directly to their patrons in the shape of cheaper fares.

Three measures were presented in the senate, and two in the house, and all related to street-railroad matters. Each bill offered repeals the horse and dummy act, as amended by the Allen bill, and substitutes for it plans more or less elaborately devised with regard to the relations between traction companies and municipalities.

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Important Change in Time on C. & N. W. R'y.

Commencing January 1 the train for Madison, LaCrosse and Winona, which has heretofore left here at 6:30 a. m., will leave at 6:08 a. m.

La grippe is again epidemic. Every precaution should be taken to avoid it. Its specific cure is One Minute Cough Cure. A. J. Shepherd, publisher Agricultural Journal and Advertiser, Eldon, Mo., says: "No one will be disappointed in using One Minute Cough Cure for la grippe." Pleasant to take. Quick to act. People's Drug Co., corner Main and Milwaukee streets.

## Indiana Republicans.

Indianapolis, Jan. 5.—In legislative caucus republicans nominated F. L. Littleton of Marion for speaker and L. P. Newby of Henry county for president pro tem. The senatorial caucus will be held next Tuesday night, and there are indications that the field may combine against J. Frank Hanly. The stock of Albert J. Beveridge has taken a decided boom, he having practically solid support from the business element of Indianapolis. The democratic minority will vote solidly for the re-election of Senator Turpie.

Mr. S. A. Fackler, editor of the Michiganop (Fla.) Hustler, with his wife and children, suffered terribly from la grippe. One Minute Cough Cure was the only remedy that helped them. It acted quickly. Thousands of others use this remedy as a specific for la grippe, and its exhausting after effects. Never fails. People's Drug Co., corner Main and Milwaukee streets.

## Lench Lake Indians Pardoned.

Washington, Jan. 5.—The president has pardoned the twelve Leech lake Indians sentenced to various terms of imprisonment and fined at the late term of the United States district court for Minnesota for resisting the United States marshal in making an arrest.

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Fine Sherry Table Wines	50c	35c	
Fine Port Table Wines	50c	35c	
Fine Old White Tokay Wine	75c	60c	
Fine St. Julien Claret Wine	50c	35c	

	Regular Our Price.	Price.	Per quart bottle.
Fine Champagne Cardinal Sec	75c	50c	
Fine Champagne Golden Age	\$1 00	75c	
Fine Champagne Golden Age	\$1 50	\$1 25	

	Regular Our Price.	Price.	Per gallon.
Fine old 1886 Port Wine	\$3 60	\$2 50	
Fine old imported Port Wine	4 50	3 50	
Fine old imported Sherry Wine	5 00	4 00	
Fine 4-year-old Sherry Wine	2 00	1 25	

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Fine Old Elk special 1889	3 50	2 50	
Whiskey, per gal			
Fine Old Elk special 1889			

	Price.	Price.	Per gallon.
Fine Old Elk special 1889	75c		
Whiskey, per quart bottle			
Fine Finch Rye, special 1889	4 50	3 50	
Whiskey, per gal			
Fine Finch Rye, special 1889			

	Price.	Price.	Per quart bottle.
Fine Finch Rye, special 1889	1 00		
Whiskey, per quart bottle			
Fine Finch Rye, special 1889			

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Fine Finch Rye, special 1889	4 50	3 50	
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Fine Barrett & Co. Old Tom	1 50	1 00	
Fine Red Cross Gin, per gal	3 00	2 50	
Fine Rye Malt Gin, per gal	3 00	2 50	

	Price.	Price.	Per quart bottle.
Fine old Elk Whiskey	\$1 50	\$1 00	
Fine Old Crow Whiskey	1 50	1 00	
Fine Green River Whiskey	1 50	1 00	
Fine Guckenheimer Rye Whiskey	1 50	1 00	
Fine Old Hermitage Crow	1 50	1 00	
Fine Clark Bros. Rye Whiskey	1 25	1 00	
Fine Bond & Lillard Rye	1 50	1 00	
Fine Kentucky Club Whiskey	1 25	75c	
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Rye Whiskey, per gallon	4 00	3 00	
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THIS DAY IN HISTORY.

- 1066—Edward the Confessor, Saxon king of England, died; born 1004.
- 1558—Catherine de' Medici, cruel and intriguing queen of France, died.
- 1770—Stephen Decatur, commodore in U. S. N., born in Sinepuxent, Md.; killed in a duel at Bladenburg, Md., 1820.
- 1820—Decatur won fame and promotion in Tripoli, where he burned the American frigate "Philadelphia," which was captive to the enemy.
- 1895—David H. Craig, first general manager of the Associated Press, died at Asbury Park.
- 1895—General Johnson Hagood, a Confederate veteran of note, died at Burnwell, S. C.; born 1829.

"LET US HAVE PEACE"

The Gazette's article on peace in the republican party has met with ready favor in this vicinity, and attracted some attention about the state. The Milwaukee Evening Wisconsin in republishing a portion of the article, comments as follows:

"The Wisconsin, which has always conjured the republicans to get together, which has always put principles above men, while loyally supporting the men regularly chosen to represent the principles, and which has nothing to apologize for in all that it has done during the late campaign, takes pleasure in republishing this much of The Gazette's article."

The Milwaukee Journal (independent) discusses the article as follows:

"In its issue of the 30th the Janesville Gazette makes a studied and formal plea for peace in the republican party. The Gazette has been a Scotchfield organ and in its nature is a strongly partisan paper. This article then will attract unusual attention. The Journal has studied the article and the situation with care and interest. Its belief is that the appeal is two or three years too late. This struggle between the factions is not new; it has been growing for years. At its inception was unnoticed; as it grew it was ignored; when it faced the party, it was disregarded. Last fall it came near capturing the party and dictated the platform. The machine leaders let it grow. The faction, like the camel of the fable, got its nose into the party tent; the machine called it a good fellow with too much nose. It planted two feet in the tent; the machine said it was a misplaced dairy product and would settle itself quietly in a corner when well fed. The body came in and nearly crowded the machine out of the tent, and the machine used soft words and asked permission to come its rider. The camel is still pushing in. Now comes The Gazette and says there is no camel at all; that the tent is to be filled with harmony only. It proposes that both factions shall stop crowding, stay where they are and be happy. Well, the camel may not think so; but it is worth while for The Gazette to make the appeal. Now all this soft talk sounds to The Journal very much like that of two years ago, or thereabouts, and it believes it will prove just as effectual in uniting the factions and no more so. The socialistic element once divided the democratic party, and it is riving the republican party in this state. The Gazette may cry 'Peace! Peace!' but there is no peace. To secure peace, The Gazette or the camel must get out of the tent. Somebody has got to use a club."

The Journal's belief may not be shared by all who read The Gazette's article. The Gazette, for instance, did not say that all is harmony now, but that now is the time to reach that end. Neither did The Gazette indulge in "soft talk." It made a plain statement, and incorporated no taffy whatever.

The Gazette does not agree with The Journal when it says that a club must be used. We have had harmony with clubs, and the people do not like the brand. Hence, we advocate dropping the club, and the use of plain, old fashioned common sense.

The Milwaukee Evening Wisconsin says that it can advocate peace in the republican party without having to apologize for anything it has said or done in the past. So can all the politicians if they will only be frank enough to admit it. The newspapers carried the brunt of the recent fight, and if they can consistently take the side of harmony, there are certainly no individuals who cannot do so.

W. J. McIntyre, the retiring county clerk has been a most faithful and obliging official. He had enjoyed but one vacation in six years, and was always to be found at his post of duty. His many friends will wish him success in whatever business he may engage. That his successor, Frank P. Starr, will give equally good service, goes without saying.

Dr. E. D. Roberts will make an excellent under sheriff and Sheriff Appleby displays good judgment in appointing him to that place.

Rough on Rats is not really a confection, yet it is sometimes less rough than its name would indicate.

The best way for the reformers to bring about reforms is for each to ap-

point himself a committee of one to see that he practices what he preaches.

Speaking of the late projected military company—but perhaps the less said the better.

The Driver Thawed.

A delegate from the far west to a recent educational convention told an incident that happened some years ago when he was making a trip on a pioneer stage. All one-half the first day he sat beside the driver and endeavored to engage him in conversation. The driver was not to be engaged. He was not exactly surly, but he evidently didn't care to be talked to. The stage stopped for dinner at a little eating house, and when it rolled away again the driver seemed like another man. He talked, he told stories, he was the soul of affability. Later he explained the matter to the teacher. "I didn't take a shine to you now this morning," he said. "I thought you was one of those psalm-singing gospel fellows, and I ain't got no use for that kind. But when I seen you setting there and a-eating pie with a fork I changed my mind. I knowed right away you was a gambler."—New York Tribune.

Bishop's Witty Retort.

The bishop was very fond of a cigar, but the archdeacon detested smoking, and denounced it as unclerical. Perhaps modern taste may consider a cigar and a shovel hat, or a yard of clay and a silk apron, rather incongruous. Anyhow, the bishop usually retired to a secluded part of the Episcopal garden to enjoy his weed. Here he was detected one day by the vigilant archdeacon, who surveying him from the terrace above, exclaimed: "Ah, bishop, so I have caught you burning incense to the devil!" The bishop expelled a great whiff of blue smoke and exclaimed in his deep, resonant voice: "But I didn't know he was so near!"

"Quarter" on the Battlefield.

The term "quarter," used in warfare, originated from an agreement anciently made between the Dutch and Spaniards, that the ransom of a soldier taken in action should be a quarter of his pay. Probably it meant to "grant conditions." In this sense the expression was commonly used at one time. As a modern warlike term, to give quarter means that the prisoners of war should be sent to the rear of the army and there lodged and fed by the captors until exchanged or released on the termination of hostilities.

Windows Made of Oyster Shells.

In the Philippines the windows of the houses of the better class, the villas in the suburbs and the country mansions are made of oyster shells—those wonderful, transparent, pearl-like shells of the Oriental seas which admit light, but not the glare of the sun, illuminating the interior with the soft radiance of a cathedral. A great window filled with these sprays of pearl shows the color of ten thousand rainbows.

Family Ways of the Westons.

Curious uniformity of sex is manifested in the descendants of Mr. and Mrs. John Weston of Skowhegan, Me. They have six children, three girls and three boys, and twelve grandchildren, six girls and six boys. One of the daughters and one son have a girl and a boy apiece, one daughter and one son have two girls apiece, and one daughter and one son have two boys each.

Coughing injures and inflames sore lungs. One Minute Cough Cure loosens the cold, allays coughing and heals quickly. The best cough cure for children, perfectly harmless. People's Drug Co., corner Main and Milwaukee streets.

JANESVILLE MARKET PRICES

Quotations on Grain and Produce Are Reported for The Gazette.

The following figures show the range of prices in the local market, corrected by H. Bump & Son:

- Flour—Good to best Patent, 1.30 to 1.10 per sack.
- Wheat—Fair to best quality 50¢ @ 60¢.
- BUCKWHEAT—\$1.00 @ \$1.20 per 100 lbs.
- BUCKWHEAT—Flour—25¢ per sack.
- RYE—In request at 51¢ @ 55¢ per 100 lbs.
- BARLEY—Ranges at 35¢ @ 45¢, according to quality.
- EAR CORN—Now, 37¢ to 40¢ to 1.00.
- OATS—White, 21¢ @ 25¢.
- CLOVER SEED—\$3.00 @ \$3.50 per bushel.
- TIMOTHY SEED—\$6.00 @ \$1.00 per bushel.
- MEAL—75¢ @ \$1.00 a ton, Bolsted \$1.
- FLOUR—70¢ @ \$1.00 lbs., \$3.00 @ 4.00 ton.
- BEANS—70¢ @ \$1.00 lbs., \$14.00 @ 18.00 ton.
- MIDDLINGS—70¢ @ \$1.00, \$15.00 @ 18.00 ton.
- HAY—Timothy 70¢ @ \$1.00, other kinds, \$5.00 @ \$6.00 ton.
- STRAW—\$1.00 @ \$1.50 ton.
- POTATOES—60¢ @ 75¢ per bushel.
- BEANS—75¢ @ \$1.10 per bushel.
- BUTTER—19¢ @ 20¢.
- EGGS—10¢ @ 11¢ dozen.
- POULTRY—Turkeys, 30¢ @ 40¢; Chickens, 7¢ @ 10¢; Ducks, 15¢ @ 20¢ for washed; 18¢ @ 25¢ for unwashed.
- HIDES—Green, 6¢ @ 7¢; dry, 5¢ @ 10¢.
- SKINS—Range at 30¢ @ 75¢ each.
- LIVE STOCK—Cattle \$3.00 @ \$4.75 per 100 lbs; hogs, \$2.75 @ \$3.50 per 100.

WANTED

- WANTED—Competent girl for general house work. Enquire of Mrs. H. D. McKinney, 157 Park Place.
- WANTED—Girl for general housework. Enquire at 61 Washington street.
- WANTED—Girl for housework. Enquire at 53 South Third street.
- WANTED—Forty experienced girls to sort Free street car passage. Enquire at Fisher & Fisher.
- FOR RENT—A furnished house or rooms. Inquire at 200 North Bluff street.
- FOR RENT—The Highland House, Jan. 1, 1899. Call on address Angie J. King, Apt. 1, No. 26 West Milwaukee street, first stairs west of post office.
- FOR RENT—House on Cornelia street. Enquire at 158 Cornelia street, second ward.

HE WANTED CIDER.

But the Honest Farmer Could Not Make a Sale.

A correspondent with a mild grievance writes as follows:  
"About a fortnight ago I chanced to read in The Plain Dealer the 13 remedies for the cure of certain diseases. For, rheumatism, for instance, I was told to 'Drink a wineglassful of hard cider three times a day.' Now, as all my neighbors will testify, rheumatism is a good steady tenant that finds lodging in several parts of my body and is there to stay. When I read in The Plain Dealer that cider is good to drive off the unwelcome guest, I assure you I eagerly watched for a farmer of whom I intended to buy at least a barrelful. At last a seedy looking individual came to my door. 'Say, mister, want to buy any cider?' Did I want to buy any? Why, that's what I had been watching for at least a week. Of course I didn't let the farmer know how anxious I was to get his liquid. On the contrary, I thought I'd put up a neat little trick to test the beverage. 'Is it pure cider? Isn't there any water in it?' asked I. 'Water?' echoed the farmer. 'You insult me. Take this cider to the city chemist and have it tested. I'll swear there is no adulteration about it. Have a couple gallons of it, sir?' 'Look here, my man,' said I, 'I would buy a kegful of you if you had some watered. I am afflicted with rheumatism and am not allowed to drink it strong.' If you will be kind enough to put some water in it and bring it to me, as I said, I'll take a kegful.' My farmer looked around suspiciously, and, putting his hand on one side of his mouth, he softly remarked: 'Say, boss, you don't think that we farmers could afford to sell pure cider for 10 cents a gallon, do you? That stuff contains only 40 per cent cider. The rest is rainwater. To tell you the truth, we drink up the genuine stuff at home. How many gallons did you want?' 'You rascal,' I roared, 'Now I've caught you! I just wanted—' I could not finish my sentence, for the honest farmer, jumped on his wagon and in less than no time was galloping down the street.  
"I still have my rheumatism,"—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Original If Not Accurate.

This is a genuine extract from a schoolboy's recent "Essay on Nelson":  
"Oh! Harding, kiss me again," were the butefull words of a heroic mortal who won a grate battle with one eye and a wooden leg. Before the bloody context this motto was uttered by him: "The queen expects every man to do his duty." Nelson was a brave man but his morals was not respectable. Once a lady whose name was Mrs. Hamington nursed him, and he said, "Oh heavens heavins why do I love." When he died the queen met him in a boat and he went to St. Paul's and was buried. This is a marvellous lesson to me and all schoolboys. Do your duty to your pastors and masters and then even with a single leg you can say, "with this simple thing I will do my duty." As Nelson himself said "Even though you are only man you can do your duty."—Scottish Leader.

A Matter of Profound Indifference.

The spectacled fisherman looked at his heavy string and then he looked at the darky who sat on the fence idly swinging his heels.  
"Sam," he called, "are you fond of perch?"  
"Don't b'lieve I am, sah," said the colored brother. "When I grabs a chicken, I don't pay no 'tention 'tall to de perch, sah."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Favorable Symptoms.

"How's your town coming along, doctor?" was asked of the young physician who hails from a rural village.  
"Doing as well as could be expected," replied the doctor, who is assiduously cultivating a professional air. "It is beginning to show symptoms of a couple of new business blocks and a bigger schoolhouse."—Detroit Free Press.

Willing to Follow.

Perry Patetic—This here paper says that Gldstone would quit his work any time to lay down and sleep.  
Wayworn Watson—They is only one thing keeps me from followin that plan, and that is, I don't work.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

In Chicago.

Mrs. Wabush—She never takes a man seriously.  
Mrs. Dearborn—Indeed!  
"Yes, sah, she giggled on every wedding day she ever had!"—Yonkers Statesman.

Timely Mention.

"Harry, let me read you this article in 'Hints For Birthday Gifts.'"  
"Why should you read it to me? You've been throwing hints at me for three weeks."—Chicago Record.

Fitting Name.

Pigg—Say! Why do you call that fellow "Asphyxiate?" That is a peculiar nickname.  
Penn—Because his last name is Gas-kill.—Princeton Tiger.

Changed His Mind.



DIET AS A CAUSE OF SUICIDE.

Physician Thinks He Has Discovered the Reason of Self-Destruction.

Dr. Haig is of opinion that suicide may be traced to error in diet, the error being the eating of meat, the drinking of beer and of tea, and the smoking of tobacco. His facts all fall comfortably into their places in support of his hypothesis. Are there not more suicides among men than among women, and do not men consume more meat, more beer and more tobacco than the women? Again, suicide is more common in England than in Scotland, not apparently because the Scotch are a more canny race, but because the English eat more meat and drink more beer, while the Scotch eat less meat and drink whisky instead of beer. After maintaining that suicide was less common among the Scotch, it was perhaps hardly polite, when addressing a Scotch audience, to go on to say that suicide increased with civilization. But the fact was explained on the ground of more injurious diet, that of civilized man being more productive of uric acid and thus of suicide than that which prevails where civilization is less advanced. Uric acid is, in fact, at the bottom of all this; and, according to Dr. Haig, the incidence of suicide allies with the daily, annual and life fluctuations of uric acid in the blood, being commonest when uric acid is most abundant. We have no doubt that errors of diet are responsible for much, and, among other things, for a certain number of suicides; nay, we would go further and admit that unsuitable diet, derangement of the proper relation between nutrition and waste, and the consequent loading of the tissues and the blood with abnormal products of metabolism, have much to do with that ill temper and discontent which lead men to lay their hands violently, often upon their neighbors, and sometimes on themselves. All this may be taken for granted, but it is at present far from proved that the peccant material is in all cases the same, and still further are we from being agreed that uric acid is the origin of the evil.

DR. RICHTER'S "ANCHOR" PAIN EXPELLER.  
RHEUMATISM, NEURALGIA and similar Complaints, and prepared under the stringent GERMAN MEDICAL LAWS, prescribed by eminent physicians.  
"ANCHOR" STOMACHAL best for Colic, Dyspepsia and Stomach Complaints.

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Peter L. Myers, M'g'r.  
Playing only leading stars and combinations

Thursday, Jan. 5th.

The Big Laughing Boom

THE TWO MACKS,

In the Screamingly Funny 3-Act Play,

"MONEY TO BURN"

20--ARTISTS--20

Including the  
LYMAN TWIN BROTHERS,  
Carsello Sisters,  
Bak'r & Bunell,  
Sylvester Sisters.  
All New Songs and Dances.

Concert Band and Orchestra.

GRAND NOONDAY PARADE.

Prices—25, 35 and 50 cents. Seats on sale at box office Wednesday morning at ten o'clock.

COMING—Haverly's American-European Minstrels.

La Flor De J. Ericsson,

Cuban Hand Made.

America's Finest 5 cent cigar.

The highest price 5 cent cigar in market.

The stock is equal to any 10 cent cigar made.

Smoke one and be convinced.

They are packed only 100 in a box at the enormously low figure of

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For sale by

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City Bakery and Grocery.

107 W. Milwaukee street.

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The Gazette

After Inventory Sale  
We have just completed our annual inventory and find we have too many of some makes of Shoes; hence we will make you some prices that will please you.  
Men's \$5.00 Enamel Shoes, now \$4 00  
Ladies' \$4 and \$5 patent leather Shoes, now 3 50  
Men's \$3.50 and \$4 box calf, calf lined, now 3 00  
Men's satin calf Shoes, \$1.50 and 2 00  
We are bound to make January a Shoe sale month, and if prices are an object, come.  
C. C. BENNETT SHOE CO.  
THE FOOT FITTING SHOE MEN.

Our Bakery Goods Department.

Our large west display window will be given up to fancy and staple Bakery goods of all kinds and we will at all times carry the most complete stock to be found in any grocery store in the city.

Our reputation on certain lines of bakery stuff has already reached a very flattering point and we intend to extend this favorable impression over every bakery article.

Watch our large window from now on for palatable stuff in this line.

C A THOMPSON.

Phone 207. Grubb Block.

Do You Own A Square Deal?

The best Pocket Knife in the country is the Square Deal. The steel never goes back on the owner. It's so good, in fact, we guarantee it in every way, shape and manner. We took up the Square Deal Cutlery as our leader because we knew the line to be the best absolutely obtainable. The largest assortment of pocket knives, shears, scissors, razors and keen edged tools of all kinds, in Southern Wisconsin.

We also sell the Star Safety Razor. The one real good safety razor out. Snow Shovels ALL PRICES.  
H. L. McNAMARA, Armory Block.

A Drink Fit For A King.

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mixture that has a flavor once tasted is always sought for. This Mocha and Java Coffee we sell is mixed by us. The goods come fresh roasted every few days and the proportions we use of each make a blend that cannot be excelled. It is the highest grade.

38c pound Coffee possible to obtain. We can pulverize your coffee if you wish it.

BEMIS' CHINA TEA STORE.

Telephone, No. 82.

Fancy Vests All the Go.

I have just received a lot of Vest samples, the latest London patterns, the swellest things out, made up to your order, \$7.00 to \$12.00.

ACHTERBERG, the Tailor, Around the corner, on Jackson Street.

Suits and Overcoats at cost

to reduce stock. Do not fail to talk with me for made-to-order clothing bargains.

JNO. M. KNEFF.

The Tailor.



## ARCHITECT HERE WITH JAIL PLANS

### BUILDING COMMITTEE MEET TOMORROW.

R. G. Kirsch and Thomas C. Lewis are in town with Bastille Specifications to Cost Within \$25,000—Sheriff's Residence to Be Handsome and Complete.

The building committee of the Rock County Board of Supervisors, consisting of T. B. Bailey, of Beloit, J. D. Godfrey, of Lima, and E. Retheram, of this city, will meet at the court house tomorrow for the purpose of viewing plans for the new \$25,000 county bastille to be erected in this city.

R. G. Kirsch, a member of the Milwaukee architect firm of R. G. Kirsch & Company, is in the city with jail plans to submit to the committee. His plans call for a most complete structure to cost, within and close to the appropriation, \$25,000. The building, according to his plans, is two stories high, built of brick, stone, iron and steel and fireproof throughout. Twenty-two cells comprise the cell room eleven on each floor, and all constructed in the very latest style, making them absolutely safe.

These cells are arranged so that a corridor surrounds them and in the center is another corridor where the prisoners may exercise without having access to the outside one.

The plans call for a sheriff's residence constructed of brick and arranged throughout so as to contain all the latest accommodations.

The sanitary arrangement is most complete both for the residence and jail. Thomas C. Lewis, of St. Louis, is also here with plans that the building committee think well of. They call for an up-to-date building throughout, and built along somewhat the same order as the plan to be submitted by Architect Kirsch. Twenty-three cells were included in Mr. Lewis' plan.

Representatives are expected here by tomorrow in behalf of other outside firms.

The Champion Iron Company of Canton, Ohio, promise to submit plans, as do also the Van Dorn Iron Company of Cleveland.

As to where the jail will be located and as to who will build it is a matter that is to be settled by the county board itself at their meeting this month. The plans to be submitted will only be shown to the building committee, so that they may select and recommend to the board. There is still that unsettled question of where the new jail is to be located.

Of late there has been a noticeable change with many members of the board who now favor building on the jail site at the corner of South First and Park streets.

Many Park Place residents say that they will never submit to a jail in the park and that they will first go to law over it and fight it with injunctions thus delaying its construction.

Chairman Bailey, of the building committee, is strongly in favor of locating it on Park street.

## THE HOSPITAL FLOURISHING

Palmer Memorial Directors Hold Annual Meeting This Evening.

Local physicians interested in the Palmer Memorial hospital will meet this evening in annual session at the office of Dr. W. H. Palmer.

The reports show that the hospital during the past year has passed through the most prosperous twelve months in its history. More patients have been treated in that time than have ever before entered that institution during the same period. At times more applications for admission were received than could be accommodated.

Officers for the ensuing year will be chosen this evening.

### To New Quarters.

I have closed out my entire stock of furnishing goods and am now moving my tailoring department to rooms 3, 4, and 5 Carpenter block over Archie Reid & Co., formerly the law offices of Sloan & Sloan. I shall hereafter devote my entire time to the merchant tailor-branch of the business and hope to see all my friends and customers in the new quarters which will be ready for occupation within a day or two. All my heavy weight and winter suitings and overcoats will be sold at cost, and the opportunity for securing a garment could not be better. Suits at \$18, \$20 and up to \$25 that always sell at a third more. Overcoats at proportionate figures. John M. Kneff, The Tailor.

### Canned Goods.

We buy our canned goods in immense quantities, and therefore get the lowest jobbers' prices. We also sell in large quantities so that the purchaser derives the benefit of so large a business in his dealings. We note some of the articles and prices in our large list, page 8. A glance will convince you of the truth of our sayings. We guarantee every can to be exactly as represented. Sanborn.

### Attention, W. R. C.

The members of W. H. Sargent W. R. C. No. 21, are earnestly requested to meet at G. A. R. hall Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, sharp, for drill.

MRS. McDONALD, Pres.

ELLA WILLS, Sec.

### Cash Prices

No. 1 dairy butter 19c per lb.  
Pork chops 8c per pound.  
Pork roast 8c per pound.  
Pickled tripe 5c per pound.  
Pickled pigs' feet 5c per pound.  
19 lbs. sugar for \$1.00.  
Boston Store, South River St.

## BRIEF BITS OF LOCAL GOSSIP

McNAMARA sells hardware.

CARLON cans of pie fruit 15 cents. Sanborn.

SPRINGFIELD crisp crackers 5c a pound at Sanborn's.

THE only genuine Pocahontas coal. F. A. Taylor & Co.

HALF price on all jackets at Bort, Bailey & Co.'s.

PLENTY of fresh green stuff for the table will arrive tomorrow. Sanborn.

DRY wood, sawed, split, and delivered to any part of the city. F. A. Taylor & Co.

VERY fancy New York apples, the choicest to be found in the city. Sanborn.

A LARGE invoice of fresh caught fish will arrive tomorrow for fish eaters. Sanborn.

TRY our baby shoes at 25 cents; black and tan, button and lace. Amos Rehberg & Co.

BARGAINS in furnishing goods at John Kneff's old stand. Stock to be closed out in 10 days.

ENJOY yourselves tonight at the Barbers' masquerade. All your friends will be at the Armory.

BUY your furnishings at John Kneff's, next door to Rock Co. bank. 25 to 35 per cent discount.

No doubt about your winning that prize if you try for it at the Barbers' masquerade tonight.

LIBERAL prizes and plenty of fun at the Barbers' masquerade tonight. Tickets 50c; ladies, 25 cents.

THE Art League will meet with Mrs. J. F. Pember, Cherry street, Friday afternoon at three o'clock.

Our store will be closed every evening at 6:30 except Wednesday and Saturday until further notice. Sanborn & Co.

Men's genuine satin calf, new Grecian toe, a genuine bargain at \$2.50; our January price \$1.98. Amos Rehberg & Co.

MEMBERS of Janesville Chapter No. 69, Order Eastern Star, gave one of their series of socials at Masonic hall last night.

FRESH shrimps, live lobsters, blue points, fresh cod fish, trout, salmon and smelts, lettuce and radishes. Skelly & Wilbur.

Our store will be closed every evening at 6 o'clock excepting Wednesday and Saturday until further notice. H. L. McNamara, Armory block.

Don't put off the purchase of your winter jacket any longer. The half price at this store places every garment in easy reach. Bort, Bailey & Co.

THE greatest stock of canned goods in southern Wisconsin is held under this roof. Prices are low, as you will notice in our large ad, page 8. Sanborn.

THE Musical-Literary society met at Christ church parish house last evening and enjoyed the program presented, which was from the works of American composers.

REMEMBER Rehberg & Co. for shoes. We want your trade; will treat you fair and square. Will guarantee any goods we sell and stand behind every pair. Amos Rehberg & Co.

FRANCIS MURPHY will hold two more temperance meetings in this city—on Monday and Tuesday evenings of next week. They will be held in the Y. M. C. A. rooms and are intended to round up the series.

If you drink cocoa we will sell you a pound can of cocoa guaranteed to be as good as Van Houtens \$1.00 size for 50 cents. Its imported and strictly first class. Sanborn.

ODD FELLOWS and Rebekah masquerade ball in East Side Odd Fellows hall, Thursday night, January 12. Odd Fellows and their families need no invitation. Tickets for sale at Smith's pharmacy.

THE Lyman Twin Brothers, the stars of "The Two Macks" Co. in "Money to Burn," are the strongest specialty artists now in farce comedies, aside from the parts they play so well in this comedy. Their singing and dancing is ahead of any other artist on the stage in this particular line.

If you are in need of clothing, gents furnishing goods, caps, gloves or mittens bear in mind Weisend's final closing out slaughter sale. Everything goes at less than cost now and suits and pants for men and boys at less than half price to close out quick.

WEISEND, the clothier on the bridge, has made another great cut in prices on clothing, hats caps, gloves, mittens, underwear, sweaters, shirts, collars, cuffs, duck coats and everything else in the store to close out quick. Must be closed out by January 15th as lease expires on said date.

JOSE Carcello, the soubrette, with the "Two Macks" in "Money to Burn," has the distinct honor of being the best little artist in her line in this country and her manager says he will back her dancing specialty with one thousand dollars, that her equal cannot be produced on the American stage.

Don't be misled when people offering you \$4.00 shoes for \$2.00; look at the so called bargains at \$2.00. Then compare our \$1.98 offer, and we'll guarantee you we are just one notch above them. We defy the world on our line at \$1.98. Always doing something. Amos Rehberg & Co., on the bridge.

My lease expires January 15th, and I will cut and slash prices on clothing and furnishing goods hereafter. Suits and pants at less than half price, hats and boys' waists at about one-fourth their value, overcoats, duck coats, underwear, sweaters, cardigan jackets, Jersey coats, shirts, gloves, mittens, caps, etc., at less than wholesale cost to wind up the business by January 15th. John Weisend, on the bridge.

## FELL TWENTY FEET AND BADLY INJURED

### YOUNG MAN SEVERELY HURT AT ICE HOUSE.

Falls Down the Runway While at Work This Afternoon—Internal Hurts May Result in His Death—No One Can Explain How the Affair Happened.

William Kath, of 211 West Bluff street, fell a distance of twenty feet this afternoon, and the affair may cost him his life.

The accident happened from a runaway leading into one of the large ice houses on North Main street owned and which is now being filled by the People's Ice company. When the ice company commenced cutting and storing ice the force part of the week Kath applied for and was given work. His duty was to follow the cakes of ice up the runway, and see them safe into the house.

At 2:30 o'clock this afternoon while going up the runway and when near its top, he suddenly lost his footing, and before he could regain himself his body was whirling through the air to frozen ground below. Fellow workmen saw him fall, and they went soon to his aid. Kath spoke to them, and stated that he was unable to move, and that he believed he was badly injured.

Dr. E. F. Woods was summoned to attend him, and the fire patrol removed the injured man to his home on West Bluff street.

Examination revealed that Kath's left leg a few inches above the knee was fractured, as was also one of the bones near the base of his spinal column. He was also badly bruised and hurt internally, but the exact extent of these injuries will not be known for some time. The injuries to his back and those internally may prove more serious later.

Kath is a well known man in moderate circumstances, and the wonder is that he was not killed outright by the fall. He has a wife and one child.

## WOLLIN'S REMAINS FOUND IN RIVER

### ROCK COUNTY SOLDIER BOY MYSTERY CLEARED.

Deceased Resided North of This City and Disappeared From His Father's Farm on Last October—Some Time Ago Mr. Wollin Notified Chief Hogan of His Son's Leaving.

Gustave Wollin, the Rock county man who joined Company E. of Beloit, and who has been missing from his home since October 22, was found dead in Rock river near Edgerton this morning. His body was badly decomposed, and indicated that he had met death nearly two months ago.

Circumstances surrounding the case point to suicide, as in the pockets were found fifty pounds of stone, in all probability placed there by the suicide for the purpose of sinking his body. Close to his breast, and held fast by his buttoned coat, was a large rock that weighed several pounds, while in his pockets was found \$1.27 in change.

The body was discovered by a passer-by who noticed it in a cramped position half hidden in the ice against one of the railroad bridge abutments.

Word was sent to Edgerton, and the body was then taken there and placed in the care of an undertaker.

It was attired partially in a United States army uniform and shoes, and it was on this account that many thought it was the body of the missing soldier lad, as his father had frequently been to Edgerton to inquire as to his whereabouts. Word was then sent to the Wollin farm, located north of this city, and the young man's father at once hastened to Edgerton, where he identified the remains as those of his long lost son.

The deceased was unmarried, 26 years of age, and well known by ex-members of Co. A, of Janesville.

At the breaking out of the late war Wollin left home and came to Janesville for the purpose of enlisting with Capt. Hanson. On reaching here he found the ranks already filled, so he made straight for Beloit, where he had no difficulty in joining Co. E.

Soon after the regiment's arrival at Jacksonville Wollin was taken ill with fever, and on securing a sick leave of absence he came home in the hope that the change in climate would benefit his health. He came first to Janesville, and from here drove home in company with relatives. On October 22 he left home suddenly, and at that time his father feared that something serious had happened him, as he said that he had acted queerly since his return, and at times plainly demonstrated that he was not in his right mind.

Mr. Wollin, on two different occasions drove to Janesville and reported the case to Chief of Police Hogan in the hopes that the missing boy might be located by them. Since his disappearance on last October 22 no clue whatever was ever obtained of his whereabouts till the body was found this morning.

Wollin was a good soldier while in the service, and was an industrious young man who made friends of all.

No arrangements have yet been made for the funeral, but in all probability they will be private, as the body is so badly decomposed.

## NEWS OF PERSONAL NATURE.

T. P. Burns spent the day in Chicago.

GEORGE McKEY was at Lake Koshkonong today.

MISS MAMIE NORTON is recovering from a severe illness.

THE condition of Mark Honeysett, who is dangerously ill, remains about the same.

MRS. MAYHEW, of Milwaukee, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Bostwick.

H. L. McNAMARA has been confined to his home the past few days on account of illness.

MRS. M. SHAWAN, of Milwaukee, who has been visiting her son, S. Shawan, left for her home today.

F. L. DRYES, of Eldorado, Wis., is now ticket agent for the Chicago & Northwestern Railway company at this station.

MRS. JAMES CHAMBERLAIN is dangerously ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. James Mills, 207 East Milwaukee street.

JOE M. MAHANY, who has been visiting his parents in this city, has returned to Belvidere, where he has a position in the Eldredge Bicycle works.

MAYOR THORNTONGOOD goes to Milwaukee this morning, where he will attend the state conference for improved charter legislation under the auspices of the Municipal League of Milwaukee.

## CHIEF HOGAN'S FEE REPORT

Filed This Morning For The Information of the County Board.

With County Clerk Starr this morning Chief of Police Hogan filed his report of cases in hand since the November meeting of the county board.

This report is filed so that the board may know for themselves of the fees asked for by the chief for services rendered. The report covers all municipal court cases that he took a hand in from Nov. 7, 1898, to Dec. 29, 1898, showing a total fee sum of \$30.97 for services rendered. Aside from this Chief Hogan hands in a bill for \$5.75 for services rendered at the Wilcox inquest.

## THEIR ANNUAL MEETING

Medical Society Will Elect Officers Tomorrow Evening

Members of the Rock County Medical society will meet at the municipal court tomorrow evening for the purpose of holding their annual election of officers. No program will be given with the single exception of an interesting paper which will be read by Dr. Buckmaster, entitled, "What is Unsoundness of Mind?"

During the past year the meetings held by the society have proved of special interest, and those to be held in the future promise to be of equal value.

## BRIEF BITS OF LOCAL NOTES.

LOWEST prices for all winter garments at T. P. Burns'.

ALL the noted characters of the day will be seen in costume at the Barbers' masquerade tonight.

G. T. BERGABACK was surprised by a number of his friends last evening at his South Main street home.

TWENTY four ladies were the guests of Mrs. C. D. Stevens this afternoon at a 1 o'clock luncheon given at her Milwaukee avenue home.

FRANK H. BAACK has bought the stock of furnishing goods of John Kneff and will close it out in the next ten days at the old stand. 25 to 35 per cent discount on all regular prices. Come early before the assortment and sizes are broken.

PEOPLE are attracted by the life like calf in the window of the C. C. Bennett Shoe Co., and it certainly is one of the most taking ideas in the way of window attractions ever seen in the city. It represents the famous Ione calf shoes and probably its hide is already being worn as shoe leather by a number of people.

### A Little Noisance.

"When my wife starts in to give a lecture I just tell her to keep quiet."

"And does she?"

"Say! Look here. You are getting altogether too inquisitive!"—Indianapolis Journal.

### Output of Sewing Machines.

More than 500,000 sewing machines are made every year in the United States, being nine-tenths of those made on the globe. About 200,000 persons are employed in this industry.

## Special Prices in . . . Fascinators & Shawls.

Black and white Ice wool Fascinators, one yard square, very fine, worn \$1.00, now . . . 80c  
Ice wool black and white double center, with a 2-inch elaborate border, regularly \$1.50, now . . . \$1.18  
Extra size Ice Wool shoulder Shawls, was \$2.25, now . . . 1.80  
Shell stitch, silk finish Linen Fascinators, 27 in. square, in blue, pink, black and white, regularly 60c, now . . . 48c

## Shetland Wool Shawls

29 inches square, in black and white, for . . . 25c  
Shetland wool Shawls, 40 inches square, at . . . 42c

## Lamb's Wool Slipper Soles.

Infants' sizes, at . . . 10c  
Children's sizes, Nos. 7 to 10, regular 15c kind, at . . . 14c  
Ladies' sizes, from 2 to 7, regular 25c kind, at . . . 18c

## HELEN SERVATIUS.

Exclusive Ladies' Furnisher. We fit all Gloves to the hand.

## PNEUMONIA CAUSE OF UNTIMELY DEATH

### EDWARD ERICKSON SUDDENLY EXPIRES.

His Condition Was on the Improve Till Four O'clock This Morning When He Suddenly Passed Away—Was Local Saloon Keeper and Well Known.

Edward Erickson, of the South River street saloon firm of McKeigue & Erickson, died at 4:15 o'clock this morning at his home on Mole avenue.

Four weeks ago he was taken ill with a severe cold, which soon developed into pneumonia, which caused his death. Of late his condition showed much improvement, but this morning it suddenly took a turn for the worse, and within a few minutes' time he died.

The deceased was an unmarried man, twenty-eight years of age, and beside a sister, Miss Mary Erickson, of this city, relatives in Norway are left to mourn his untimely death. While a resident of this city deceased made many warm friends, who will regret his demise.

Definite arrangements have not yet been made for the funeral, but in all probability it will be held Sunday, and the interment will be in this city.

Miss Margaret Morarity.

At Milton Junction tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock, services will be held from the church, over the remains of Miss Margaret Morarity. The interment will be in Mount Olivet cemetery in this city.

## PUTS SAND ON SIDEWALKS

The City Will Try and Prevent Any More Damage Suits.

Street Commissioner Palmer started to work early this morning to solve the slippery sidewalk problem in the business portion of the city. Several men with teams, were ordered to haul fine sand and sprinkle it over all icy spots on walks that were liable to cause pedestrians to fall. Of course there are people who will fall at any and all times, if it can only be done at the expense of the city, but as yet this class of pedestrians have not made their appearance. Storekeepers don't approve of placing sand on walks, as they say it is carried into their stores faster than they can sweep it out.

## MURPHY MEETINGS ARE "OFF"

Lecturer Is Sick With the Grip, and Now in the Hospital.

The meetings to be held by Francis Murphy next week have been postponed. Mr. Murphy is ill with the grip, and Dr. Mills recommended that he enter the Palmer hospital for treatment. Mr. Murphy was taken to the hospital this afternoon.

BARBERS' masquerade at the Armory tonight.

## Oranges.

A fine sweet orange, 20c a doz.  
Seedless oranges, 30c, 40c a doz.

## Apples.

Have received a fresh lot of Northern Spy, Greenings Baldwin—extra fine stock.  
Fancy Bananas, 10c doz.

## GEO. CITRON.

Manufacturer of Candy, 6 S. Main St.

## Just Receiv'd

## One Car . .

## Choice North'n Potato's

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Safeguards the food against alum.

Alum baking powders are the greatest menaces to health of the present day.

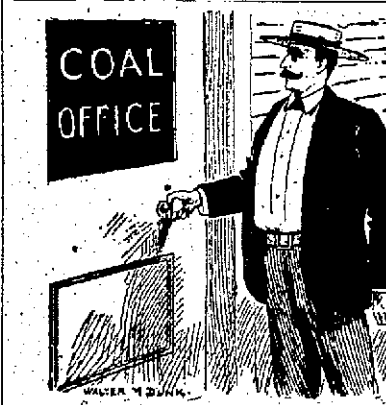
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## Special Sale of . . .

## LAMPS!

To reduce stock before inventory. We have too many. You need one. Now is your chance. Come in and see how cheap you can buy one.

## WHEELOCK'S CROCKERY STORE.



## Some Coal Won't Heat

And some will heat. It all depends on the quality and the mines. Our Coal heats to the proper degree. Try us.

## JANESVILLE COAL CO.

Office, Green & Allen's store, on the bridge; yard, South River street. Phone 5 office; phone 89, yard.

## Fountain Pens. AT LESS THAN COST

We have a few which we wish to close, and will sell them at

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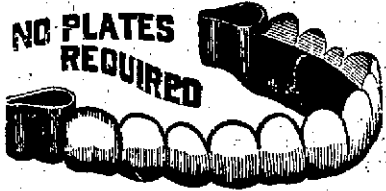
There are only a few if you want one come early.

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## CUT RATE DENTAL PARLORS

Save pain and money. Teeth extracted without pain or danger by application to the gums. Do these prices interest you?

Set of teeth . . . \$5.00  
Best set teeth S. S. W. . . 8.00  
Gold crowns . . . 4.50  
Gold fillings . . . \$1.00 Up  
Alloy fillings . . . 50c to 75c  
Bridge work per tooth . . . \$1.50  
Cleaning teeth . . . 50c



All work done by dentist of fifteen years' experience. Open evenings.

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Over Rehberg's Shoe Store, on the bridge.

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We have a splendid line of sweet toned Mandolins, Guitars and Violins at







## LATE NEWS BY TELEGRAPH.

## PROCLAMATION IS ISSUED.

President Defines His Policy as to the Philippines.

## WILL ESTABLISH HOME RULE.

It is Hoped by the Administration That This Document Will Satisfy the Filipinos and Deprive Aguinaldo of His Power.

Manila, Jan. 5.—A proclamation based on cabled instructions sent by President McKinley, was issued by Gen. Otis, the American governor here, Wednesday evening.

The proclamation says it is the intention of the United States to draw from the Filipinos as much of the military force of the islands as is possible and to seek the establishment of the most liberal government, in which the Filipinos will have as full a representation as the maintenance of law and order will permit.

No mention is made of the exact kind of government that will be established, nor of the character of the representation the Filipinos will be allowed to have, two points on which the natives are extremely anxious for information.

The proclamation is also considered indefinite on other points. A demand is made that the Filipinos lay down their arms, but no date is set for them to do so.

## BURROWS RENOMINATED.

Pack Withdraws from the Michigan Contest and Will Try Again.

Lansing, Mich., Jan. 5.—The Michigan legislature convened in regular biennial session at noon Wednesday and devoted the entire session to organization, the officers nominated by the republicans of each house in caucus being formally elected and installed. It was arranged to hold a joint convention this afternoon for the purpose of hearing Gov. Pingree's second inaugural message.

Interest in the senatorial battle completely died out when Albert Pack announced his formal withdrawal from the contest to a gathering of his supporters in Gov. Pingree's private office. There was absolutely no hope for Pack after the Burrows supporters won the speakership fight, and as he purposes being a candidate two years from now, he decided not to prolong the contest. In his letter announcing his withdrawal Mr. Pack expresses his gratification at the manner in which the contest had been conducted on both sides, and then practically announces his candidacy to succeed Senator McMillan.

The caucus was an enthusiastic gathering. The nominating speeches consumed less than a half hour in delivery, and Burrows was nominated by acclamation, amid great cheering.

## Say Robbers Secured Little.

Springfield, Mo., Jan. 5.—All kinds of stories are abroad as to the amount of money secured by the robbers who held up the Memphis train at Macomb Tuesday night. The amount is put as high as \$20,000, but the local agent of the Southern Express company says it is his opinion that not over \$1,000 was obtained. The robbers have apparently made good their escape.

## Writing-Paper Combine.

Appleton, Wis., Jan. 5.—There is an unauthenticated story in paper-mill circles that a writing-paper combine has been launched at Holyoke, Mass., with a capital of \$40,000,000. Wisconsin mills were asked to join the proposed organization, but have not rendered a final decision on the matter, and are inclined to think the reports from the east are premature.

## Indiana Wool Growers Meet.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 5.—The wool growers of the state elected the following officers: President, W. A. Guthrie, Dupont; vice-president, Sidney Conger, Waldron; secretary, J. W. Robe, Greencastle; treasurer, John L. Thompson, Gas City; executive committee, Howard Kheime of Ladoga, C. A. Howland of Howland, and W. A. Bell of LaGrange.

## Senator Cullom Is Better.

Washington, Jan. 5.—Senator Cullom is resting easier, but will be confined to his room for several days. While he is in much pain and unable to help himself, he was fitted to an easy chair and sat up for a short time. He is cheerful and expects to be at work again in a few days.

## Court Kills a Criminal Law.

Salem, Mass., Jan. 5.—The indeterminate sentence act, so-called, has been declared to be unconstitutional by the supreme court.

## GEN. OTIS' DIFFICULT TASK.

Prudent Course Is Necessary to Avoid Clash with Filipinos.

Manila, Jan. 5.—Gen. Otis seems to believe that if a prudent course is pursued in the Philippines there may be no serious clash between the na-



BRIGADIER-GENERAL MILLER.

tives and the Americans. Aguinaldo, the general said in the course of an interview yesterday, has hitherto been under the thumb of the independent party, which demands absolute freedom from all manner of overlordship, whether it be a heavy yoke or a light one. The majority of the Filipinos, however, Gen. Otis thinks, are favorable to an American protectorate.

A few ambitious men among Aguinaldo's advisers have been pulling the strings in favor of Philippine independence, and the masses of the natives, ignorant and credulous, are easily led. The native troops, he thinks, present a difficult problem in diplomacy. Unpaid and consequently restless, there is a probability that they may respond to the inflammatory efforts of native demagogues, but it is believed that they will be found equally amenable to judicious handling on the part of the Americans.

## Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, Jan. 4.—The following table shows the range of quotations on the Board of Trade to-day:

Articles.	High.	Low.	Jan. 3.	Jan. 2.
Wheat—				
Jan .....	.68 1/4	.68 1/4	.67 3/4	.67 3/4
May .....	.71 1/4	.70 3/4	.71 1/4	.70 3/4
July .....	.69 1/4	.68 3/4	.69 1/4	.68 3/4
Corn—				
Jan .....	.35 1/2	.35 1/2	.35 1/2	.35 1/2
May .....	.37 1/2	.37 1/2	.37 1/2	.37 1/2
July .....	.38	.37 1/2	.37 1/2	.37 1/2
Oats—				
Jan .....	.26 1/2	.26 1/2	.26 1/2	.26 1/2
May .....	.27 1/2	.27 1/2	.27 1/2	.27 1/2
July .....	.26 1/2	.26 1/2	.26 1/2	.26 1/2
Pork—				
Jan .....	10.15	10.15	10.15	10.15
May .....	10.45	10.32 1/2	10.45	10.47 1/2
Lard—				
Jan .....	5.62 1/2	5.50	5.62 1/2	5.60
May .....	5.87 1/2	5.75	5.85	5.85
Short ribs—				
Jan .....	4.82 1/2	4.75	4.82 1/2	4.85
May .....	5.15	5.05	5.12 1/2	5.15

## Two Killed in a Wreck.

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 5.—A special to the Post-Dispatch from Jefferson City, Mo., says: "Missouri Pacific passenger train No. 10, from Omaha and Kansas City to St. Louis, was derailed about one mile west of this city at 3:50 Wednesday. Engineer Charles Clawson of Sedalia and Fireman Zoll of St. Louis were killed. They jumped as the engine struck a boulder on the track, but the machine rolled over onto them and into the Missouri river. All the cars with the exception of the rear Pullman left the tracks away from the river and ran into the bluff. It is due to this fact that no lives among the 90 passengers aboard were lost."

## Tuskegee Negro Conference.

Montgomery, Ala., Jan. 5.—The yearly Tuskegee negro conference, held in connection with the Tuskegee Normal and Industrial Institute at Tuskegee, Ala., will be held Wednesday, Feb. 22. The attendance from all southern states promises to be large. The meeting will be composed mainly of farmers, mechanics, teachers and ministers and the subjects to be discussed will bear principally upon the industrial, educational, moral and religious conditions of the negro.

## Trestle Was Burned.

Cincinnati, Jan. 5.—By some means yet unexplained a trestle on the Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern railway near Lawrenceburg, Ind., was burned Wednesday, making a gap of eighty feet. It is at a point where a west-bound train could not have seen it in time to stop, and a wreck would have been unavoidable. The fire was discovered by Operator Fisher of the Big Four telegraph office. Baltimore and Ohio Southwestern trains are running over the Big Four tracks until the trestle can be rebuilt.

## Epidemic of Diphtheria.

St. Joseph, Mich., Jan. 5.—Reports were received here today from Galien, a small town twelve miles south of here, stating that there are more than fifty cases of diphtheria in that place. It is feared the public schools will have to be closed in order to check the disease. The presence of hundreds of acres of decaying cabbages on the outskirts of the town is supposedly the cause of the epidemic. These cabbages could not be marketed because of their poor quality, and on that account were dumped outside of the town.

Extra quality black raspberries in sugar syrup 5 cents a can. Sanborn's

## PEACE TREATY IN SENATE.

Will Now Be Dealt With in Executive Session.

## NO MESSAGE TRANSMITTED.

Only a Formal Note Sent with the Treaty—Few Representatives Attend the Opening Session of the House Wednesday.

Washington, Jan. 5.—Less than one-third of the members of the house were in their seats Wednesday when Speaker Reed rapped for order.

The session was set apart, under special order, for the consideration of the bill to define and punish crimes and to provide a code of criminal procedure for the territory of Alaska.

Without disposing of this matter the bill went over as unfinished business, subject to the special order setting apart today for consideration of matters from the committee on judiciary and to appropriation bills.

The senate resolutions over the death of Mr. Morrill were laid before the house and agreed to, and at 4:25 o'clock the house adjourned.

In the absence of Vice-President Hobart, who is slightly indisposed, the senate was called to order by Senator Frye of Maine, president pro tem.

Immediately after the reading of the journal Maj. Pruden, one of the president's secretaries, delivered to the senate the treaty of peace with Spain. Chairman Davis then moved an executive session, in which the treaty was referred to the committee on foreign relations. The president's message accompanying the treaty was merely a formal letter of transmittal.

Mr. Allison made a formal announcement in open session of the death of Senator Morrill. Resolutions of sympathy were agreed to and the senate, at 12:15 o'clock, adjourned till today.

## Will Not Amend Peace Treaty.

Washington, Jan. 6.—The peace treaty will not be amended by an anti-expansion declaration, and it will be passed as soon as it comes to a vote. These two facts were proved by a poll of the senate after the treaty was received by it Wednesday. It showed that, including all doubtful senators, only thirty-nine votes, or six short of a majority, can be secured for the anti-expansion amendment. It also showed that sixty-two votes, or two more than the necessary two-thirds, will surely be cast for ratification, with a likelihood that quite a number more will be added after the anti-expansion plank has been formally rejected.

## Wants to Succeed Dewey.

Washington, Jan. 5.—Commodore Watson, at present in command of the Mare Island navy yard, has applied for command of the Asiatic squadron, to succeed Admiral Dewey, when that officer shall have relinquished his command. Unless Admiral Dewey changes his mind, that date will not be much before the end of the current calendar year, for he has resisted all invitations to accept relief from the onerous duties imposed upon him, believing he could best serve his country at Manila. He will retire from active service next December, providing the law is not amended in his interest.

## New York Granaries Burn.

Buffalo, N. Y., Jan. 5.—A special to the News says the large granaries of Balden & Co., and Ferrin Brothers, at Genesee, were burned early Wednesday. Loss between \$80,000 and \$90,000.

## NERVOUS DEPRESSION.

## [A TALK WITH MRS. PINKHAM.]

A woman with the blues is a very uncomfortable person. She is illogical, unhappy and frequently hysterical. The condition of the mind known as "the blues," nearly always, with women, results from diseased organs of generation.

It is a source of wonder that in this age of advanced medical science, any person should still believe that mere force of will and determination will overcome depressed spirits and nervousness in women. These troubles are indications of disease.

Every woman who doesn't understand her condition should write to Lydia E. Pinkham for her advice. Her advice is thorough common sense, and is the counsel of a learned woman of great experience. Read the story of Mrs. F. S. BENNETT, Westphalia, Kansas, as told in the following letter:

"DEAR MRS. PINKHAM:—I have suffered for over two years with failing, enlargement and ulceration of the womb, and this spring, being in such a weakened condition, caused me to flow for nearly six months. Some time ago, urged by friends, I wrote to you for advice. After using the treatment which you advised for a short time, that terrible flow stopped.

"I am now gaining strength and flesh, and have better health than I have had for the past ten years. I wish to say to all distressed, suffering women, do not suffer longer, when there is one so kind and willing to aid you."

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## Assembly Thanks Miss Gould.

Albany, N. Y., Jan. 5.—Assemblyman Aggar introduced a resolution offering the thanks of the assembly to Miss Helen Gould for her distinguished philanthropic services in the war with Spain. The resolution was adopted by a unanimous vote.

Karl's Clover Root Tea for constipation. It's the best, and if after using it you don't say so, return the package and get your money. For sale by People's Drug Co.

## Try to Kill County Attorney.

Red Lake Falls, Minn., Jan. 5.—The life of County Attorney Van R. Brown was attempted Wednesday morning. A dynamite bomb was placed over his office door, and fell when Brown entered, exploding with terrific force. Brown was knocked senseless.

"If" a woman ever gets so "homely" she isn't worth looking at, she'd better take Rocky Mountain Tea. Brings back the bloom of youth. Smith's Pharmacy kodak agents.

## Gage Mentioned for Russia.

Washington, Jan. 5.—The name of Lyman J. Gage, secretary of the treasury, appears today among those suggested for appointment as ambassador to Russia. At the white house no information regarding Mr. Gage's probable appointment could be had, and it is probable the report that his name is being considered is nothing more than gossip.

Eora clear skin—clear all the way through, transparent enough to let sunshine, rosy cheeks show through, take Rocky Mountain Tea. Smith's Pharmacy kodak agents.

## Big Fire at Troy, N. Y.

Troy, N. Y., Jan. 5.—Fire broke out Wednesday in the furniture house of J. R. & B. A. Myers and spread to the building on the north occupied by Bluet, Peabody & Co., as a storehouse for collars, cuffs and shirts, and the one on the south occupied by Gorman Brothers as a meat market, and Henry Schults as a director and sign painter. The loss is estimated at \$100,000.

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coffee at night. It spoils their sleep. You can drink Grain-O when you please and sleep like a top. For Grain-O does not stimulate, it nourishes, cheers and feeds. Yet it looks and tastes like the best coffee. For nervous people, young people and children Grain-O is the perfect drink. Made from pure grains. Get a package from your grocer today. Try it to sleep at night.

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## Charles N. Brown, Attorney.

CIRCUIT COURT, ROCK COUNTY—Northwestern Building and Loan Association, plaintiff, vs. Alphonse J. Bouchard and Mary S. Bouchard, his wife, defendants. The State of Wisconsin to the said Defendants each of them:

You are hereby summoned to appear within twenty days after service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service, and defend the above entitled action in the court aforesaid, and in case of your failure so to do, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the complaint, of which a copy is herewith served upon you.

CHARLES N. BROWN, Plaintiff's Attorney.  
P. O. Address, 107 W. Main St., Madison, Wis.

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Healthy kidneys filter impurities from the blood and keep it red and pure. Sick kidneys don't.  
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For Men's Overcoats and Ulsters. Kersey Overcoats---blue- black and brown. Black Beavers in Overcoats. Brown and black Freizes in Ulsters. Would be good values at \$10.00.

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